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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to restructure the programmes of Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan and if so; the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(b) the details of Nehru Yuva Kendras functioning in the country, State-wise?
ANSWER

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

(a) No Madam. At present, Government has no proposal under consideration to restructure the programmes of Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS). NYKS undertakes programmes to develop the personality and leadership qualities of the youth and to engage them in nation-building activities. The areas of focus of the programmes of NYKs include literacy and education, health and family welfare, sanitation and cleanliness, environment conservation, awareness on social issues, women empowerment, rural development, skill development and self-employment, entrepreneurship development, civic education, disaster relief and rehabilitation, etc.

Broadly, NYKS through its programmes has been able to achieve the objectives. The youth associated with NYKS are not only socially aware and motivated but are also inclined toward social development work through voluntary efforts.

(b) At present, there is a Kendra of Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS) functioning in 623 districts of the country. The State wise and location wise details of these Kendras is at Annexure-I.
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